

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Yixing Qin
Takeshi NAMIKATA)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 10/648,316)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 8282
Filed: August 27, 2003)	
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For: IMAGE PROCESSING SYSTEM AND)	
CONTROL METHOD THEREFOR	:	April 22, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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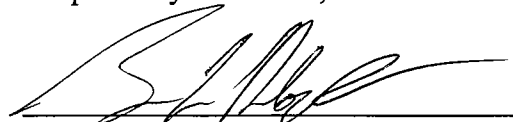
REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRIORITY CLAIM
AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant requests acknowledgment of receipt of the priority document submitted on November 3, 2003. Further, Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the final Office Action dated December 11, 2007, for two months from March 11, 2008 to May 11, 2008. The amount of \$460.00 for payment of the extension fee is being paid electronically. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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